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TARIFF LEGISLATION AND PARTY DEFEAT.

that the Payne-Aldrich law will react on the Republican party. The next and the McKinley

party defeat together. mere coincidence.

hand in tariff-making and passed ne Wilson-Gorman act. They lost at the next election, and saw the Dingley tariff framed.

History may repeat itself.

BRING THIS EXHIBIT TO RICH-

pretty well settled that Maryland Regiment, which has the the efficacy of the jury system. Baltimore large enough for the exhibit, has positively refused to loan the armory at the proper time. The Municipal Art So- lifty years. ciety is at its wits' ends, and the national society is looking for some other city in which to exhibit.

Richmond should be glad to bid for this important exhibit. We can offer the Auditorium, or the new Blues' Armory, or the First Regiment Armory, or all three. We can also assure the artists a cordial reception and a hearty welcome. So far as we can recall, the National Art Society has never exhibited in the South. Its presence here next year would give the society more of a national character and would be a decided stimulus to art in the South,

THE BLACK DEATH ON THE COAST. Yesterday's dispatches flashed alarming news over the West coast. Plague ing news over the West const. Plague has reappeared in California, the first victim being stricken on Saturday in Alameda county. This means that the fight made last year by San Francisco will have to be taken up in other

will have to be taken up in other cities. Prompt and comprehensive measures must be adopted, or the entire coast may be swept by the dispance as a coast may be swept by the dispance as does bubonic plague. Its acute symptoms, its fearful mortality and its ready transmission render it among the most dread diseases of man. Boccaccio's account of its ravages in Florence, in 1348, and Pepys' description of its devastation in London, three renturies later, still appall the reader of to-day. There were 10,000 victims a week in London and 25,000,000. The ligares can raise a shudder still.

It was because of this acute danger that San Francisco put its entire onergies into fighting the plague in 1907, 1308. The lesson gained from her victory at that time is of incalculable value to humanity; but the delay in sigrifing the war against the plague was a sclemn warning to other cities.

SPAIN'S WAR FORCES.

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When Kinyon declared that plague ex-isted in San Francico in 1900, he was the country-Flexner and Barker-supported him, but they too were to stamp out rats and fleas, the carexpended when Kinyon issued his first warning, would have saved many lives

refusal to accept the word of scientists. The story of how Rupert Blue

cases the overthrow of a California from the menace of another

A SHOCK TO JUSTICE.

ceivably, have been construed in two ways, but no more than two. One of the men was caught with a necklace, or the money with which its owner of the money with which its owner delphia Inquirer.

Such a punishment for such a crime

means, he shall be penitentiary not less more than ten years.

Nobody can doubt how a spect and contempt. To impose a \$100 tivities. Between them, the Common The fifth tice and severely shakes confidence in

Heigho, heigho! The class of 1913 is getting ready to enter college, a thought which carries us back at least

.The country stands with bated breath waiting to have old Prosperity leap up and proceed to waitz it around.

A change in the design of the one-cent piece is immediately noticed by lots of people, including even para-graphers.

"Doubtless the government could turn out something uglier than the 2-cent stamped envelopes," says the Rochester Herald. Sure. There's the new tariff law, for instance.

"Taft is to spend a night in Charleston," says the Houston Post, rather nervously. Pish! Bryan spent two nights in Texas and is still alive.

We look to see the time come when the West refers to Georgia as the wild and wooly section of the uni-

SPAIN'S WAR FORCES.

Borrowed Jingles ...

THE STRIKE IN SWEDEN.
Though Sweden has a general strike,
In which the men may win;
There's sadness all along the pike,
Because of lack of gin.

And as the Walking Delegates Strive all at getting frisky, A general gloom their zeal abates; They cannot purchase whiskey.

The clever Swedish prophets see No violence to come, Since proletarian energy Will not be stirred with rum.

The brickbats meant for "scab" Will not be half so handy, Without the aeronautic bat That's put in flight by brandy.

The bars are closed, all bars allke;
The tapsiers do no tapping;
And so the spirits of the strike
Wise government is sapping;
—J. A. in Brooklyn Daily Eagle.

MERELY JOKING.

Anxious Mother-How do you know young Cashieigh is in love with you? Has he told you so?

Pretty Daughter-No-o; but you should see the way he looks at me when I am not looking at him.—Chicago Nows.

Who Is Burbank?

"Who is this wizard fellow, Luther Burbank, anyway?"
"Why, he's the chap that's all the time getting up new trimmings for women's hats."—Puck,

Breaking It Gently.

She-Oh, George, you've broken your prom-se! The Cheerful One-Never mind, dearie; I'l make you another!-Comic Cuts.

MENTIONED IN PASSING.

IT is hoped that the relief expedition to the Arctic regions will get Peary home before the lecture season closes.—Atlanta Constitution.

"Extensive graft uncarthed in Cuba" says a headline. The same has just been in-trenched in the United States.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A genealogist has discovered that the blood of kings courses through the veins of Henry Gassoway Davis. That is probably the reason why the people refused to elect him a few years ago.—Chicago Tribune.

The Georgia Legislature is considering the dea of meeting every two years. We can think of no better scheme, unless it makes it every four years.—Washington Heraid.

SWINBURNE'S LETTERS.

Dend Poet's Correspondence With Sted-man Printed in London.

of Swinburne, allowed the Times to use them because of their immediate importance.

The letters begin in January, 1874, when Mr. Stedman had sent to Swinburne the volume of "Cameos" from London selected by himself and his friend Thomas Bulley Aldish cone.

The Courts of Europe

By La Marquise de Fontenoy.

Royal Prince Was New York Walter,
ORTUNATELY for the reigning house of Saxe-Weimar, Prince Hermann, who has just been expelled from his membership of sovereign family, and deprived

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State Press

sistible force is the demand for increased efficiency in office. We solemnly warn the Democracy of Virginia not to take the risk of another unlegalized primary election.—Norfolk Landmark.

THE GLIDDEN TOUR.

LOST-TWENTY-ONE FAT JOBS.

TWO VIRGINIA GOVERNORS.

Letters on the Tariff from an English Standpoint

The Times-Dispatch has arranged